



Governor Mike Huckabee



STATE OF ARKANSAS
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Governor

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To the people of Arkansas and the honorable members of the Arkansas Legislature:

I submit to you the Arkansas Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. We require timely, accurate financial reporting to ensure proper handling of the taxpayers' money. This publication is an important part of our efforts. It provides a complete picture of the state's financial status and is an excellent means of meeting our continuing disclosure responsibilities to the national credit markets.

Arkansas' five previous CAFRs received the Government Finance Officers Association certificate of achievement for excellence in financial reporting. We intend for that record of achievement to grow and serve as an example for the rest of the country when it comes to comprehensive financial reporting.

I want to express my sincere thanks to the dedicated workers at the state Department of Finance and Administration and other state agencies who helped bring this Comprehensive Annual Financial Report to you.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Huckabee".

Mike Huckabee

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